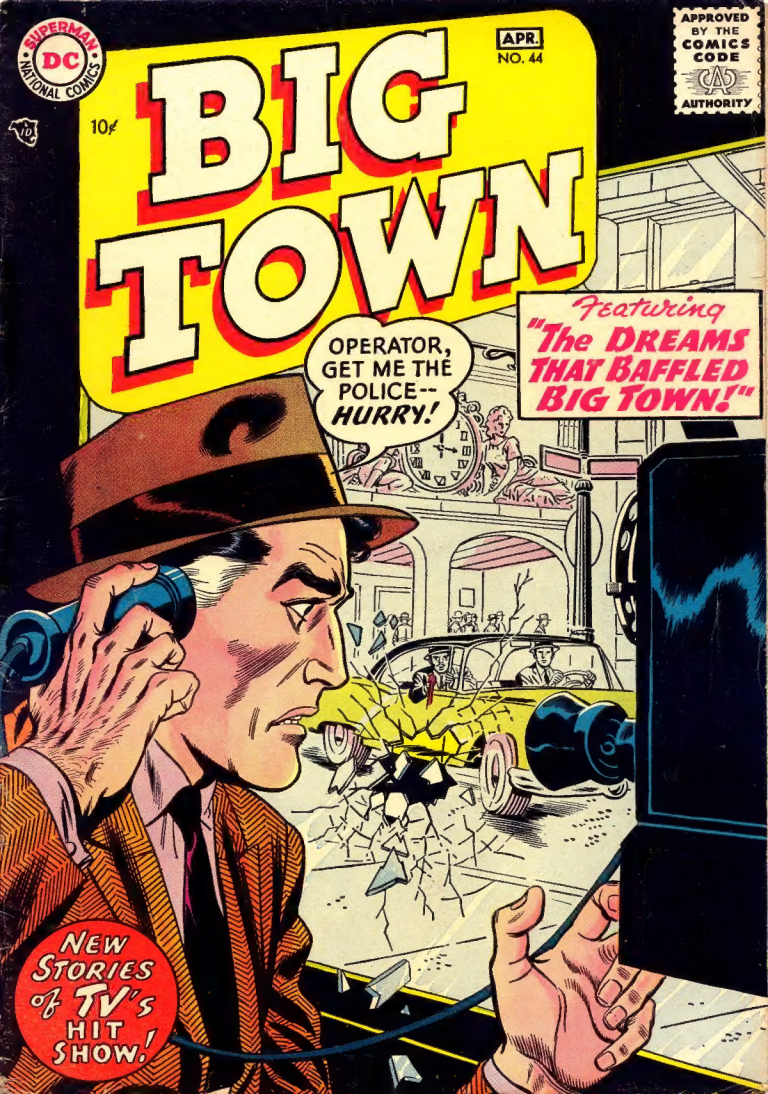
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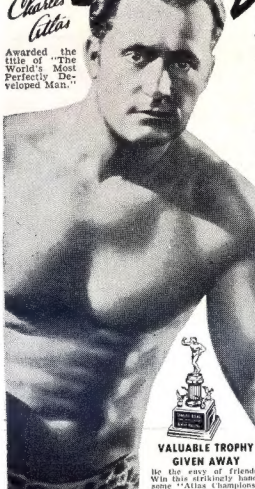

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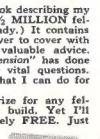

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ARE YOU CONVINCED NOW THAT MY DREAMS COME TRUE, MR. WILSON?
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NEWSHAWK CARY NAYLOR CAME FROM THE CENTERVILLE CLARION TO BIG TOWN'S ILLUSTRATED PRESS WITH A REPUTATION AS AN ACE CRIME REPORTER! BUT IT WASN'T UNTIL AFTER NAYLOR'S ARRIVAL THAT EDITOR STEVE WILSON LEARNED THE STRANGE AND INTRIGUING CIRCUMSTANCES THAT LAY BEHIND HIS NEW REPORTER'S BEST SCOOPS!

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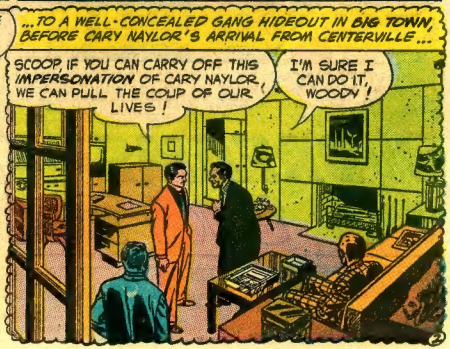
AT THE CENTERVILLE RAILROAD DEPOT...
GOOD LUCK, CARY! WE KNOW YOU'LL MAKE GOOD AS A REPORTER ON THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS IN BIG TOWN!
THANKS, EVERYBODY! SO LONG!
CENTERVILLE

IN THE OFFICES OF THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS NOT LONG AFTERWARD...
CARY NAYLOR, THE REPORTER WE HIRED FROM THE CENTERVILLE JOURNAL, IS ON HIS WAY UP, STEVE!
SWELL! I WANT TO GREET HIM PERSONALLY, CHARLEY!

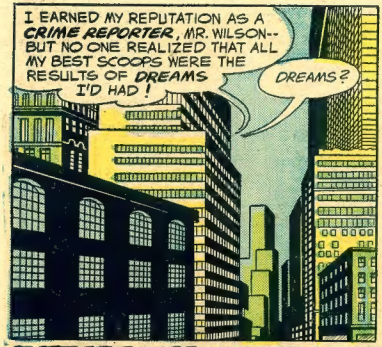
NAYLOR DID A GREAT JOB AS A CRIME REPORTER IN CENTERVILLE, CHARLEY! I KNOW HE'LL BE A FINE ASSET TO OUR PAPER!
HERE HE IS NOW, STEVE!

SO YOU'RE CARY NAYLOR!
RIGHT, SIR! THIS IS AN HONOR FOR ME, MR. WILSON! I'VE ALWAYS DREAMED OF WORKING FOR YOU!

I SUPPOSE YOU'LL NEED A FEW DAYS TO GET SETTLED..
NO, SIR! I'D LIKE TO GO TO WORK RIGHT AWAY!
BUT HOLD ON! ONE CARY NAYLOR LEAVES CENTERVILLE--AND ANOTHER, ENTIRELY DIFFERENT CARY NAYLOR SHOWS UP IN BIG TOWN! FOR THE INCREDIBLE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THIS IDENTITY SWITCH, LET US GO BACK IN TIME...

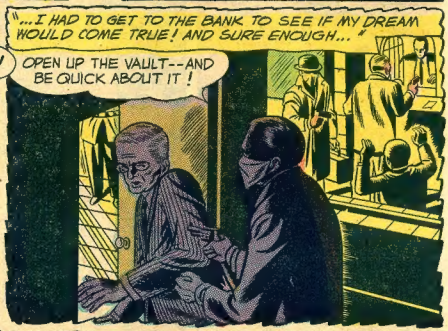

...TO A WELL-CONCEALED GANG HIDEOUT IN BIG TOWN, BEFORE CARY NAYLOR'S ARRIVAL FROM CENTERVILLE...
SCOOP, IF YOU CAN CARRY OFF THIS IMPERSONATION OF CARY NAYLOR, WE CAN PULL THE COUP OF OUR LIVES!
I'M SURE I CAN DO IT, WOODY!

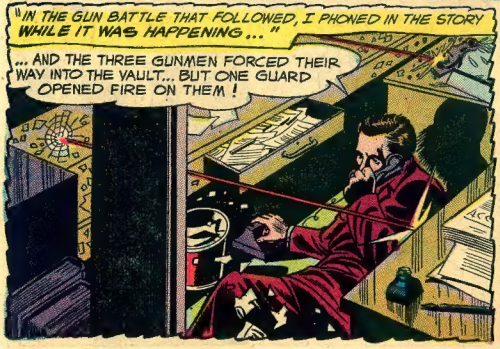
DON'T FORGET, I SPENT TEN YEARS WORKING ON PAPERS WHEN I WAS YOUNGER! SCOOP JACKSON KNOWS EVERYTHING THERE IS TO KNOW ABOUT BEING A REPORTER!
WE'VE CHECKED ON THIS NAYLOR...
...AND FOUND OUT THAT NOBODY AT THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS HAS EVER LAID EYES ON HIM! ALL YOU GOTTA DO, SCOOP, IS CARRY OUT THE MASQUERADE FOR THREE DAYS!
...AND ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS MAKE MY "DREAM-CRIMES" COME TRUE--JUST AS WE ARRANGED!
OKAY THEN--IT'S TIME! SCOOP, YOU HEAD FOR THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS BUILDING! THE REST OF US ARE GONNA PICK UP NAYLOR AT THE RAILROAD STATION...
AND SO IN THE CITY ROOM OF THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS THAT DAY...
HA! HA! NOBODY--NOT A PERSON HERE SUSPECTS THAT I'M NOT CARY NAYLOR! AND THEY'RE NOT GONNA SUSPECT EITHER...
BOY! BOY!
CARY NAYLOR
RUSH THAT MEMO TO MR. WILSON, BOY!
YES, MR. NAYLOR!
YESSIR! I GUESS I KNOW HOW TO ACT LIKE A REPORTER...
SOON...
YOU WANT TO REQUEST AN ASSIGNMENT, NAYLOR?
MR. WILSON, I'VE GOT SOMETHING TO TELL YOU ABOUT MYSELF--SOMETHING THAT NOT EVEN ANYONE IN CENTERVILLE KNOWS!...


I EARNED MY REPUTATION AS A CRIME REPORTER, MR. WILSON--BUT NO ONE REALIZED THAT ALL MY BEST SCOOPS WERE THE RESULTS OF DREAMS I'D HAD!
DREAMS?

YESSIR! TAKE THE TIME THE CENTERVILLE BANK WAS ATTACKED BY THE BONSON GANG! I DREAMED ABOUT THE ROBBERY JUST BEFORE IT HAPPENED...

"MY VIVID DREAM JOLTED ME AWAKE..."
IF WHAT I DREAMED IS TRUE, THE ROBBERY WILL OCCUR IN TEN MINUTES! I'VE GOT TO RUSH TO THE BANK--


"...I HAD TO GET TO THE BANK TO SEE IF MY DREAM WOULD COME TRUE! AND SURE ENOUGH..."
OPEN UP THE VAULT--AND BE QUICK ABOUT IT!

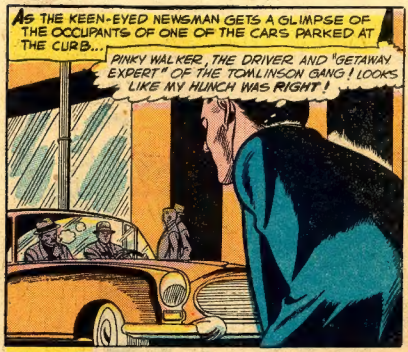

"IN THE GUN BATTLE THAT FOLLOWED, I PHONED IN THE STORY WHILE IT WAS HAPPENING..."
...AND THE THREE GUNMEN FORCED THEIR WAY INTO THE VAULT... BUT ONE GUARD OPENED FIRE ON THEM!

"FOLKS THOUGHT I JUST HAPPENED TO BE IN THE BANK WHEN THOSE ROBBERS HIT IT! ACTUALLY IT WAS MY DREAM THAT LED ME THERE."
AND HERE'S WHAT I STARTED TO TELL YOU--I HAD ONE OF MY SPECIAL DREAMS LAST NIGHT--ABOUT A CRIME HERE IN BIG TOWN! LISTEN--

SOON, STEVE AND THE BOGUS REPORTER ENTER THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS CAR...
COME ON, NAYLOR--WE'RE GOING TO CHECK ON THAT DREAM OF YOURS--IF ONLY OUT OF CURIOSITY! YOU SAID THE JEWELER'S EXCHANGE ON MAIN STREET?
YESSIR!
I HOPE WOODY'S TAKEN CARE OF THAT JOB!
SHORTLY AT THE JEWELER'S EXCHANGE...
GREAT SCOTT! LOOK--!
THERE'S ALREADY BEEN A ROBBERY HERE!
EWELERS EXCHA
AS LIEUTENANT GREGGORY GREETS THE VETERAN NEWS EDITOR...
YOU NEWSBOYS SURE ARE ON THE ALERT, STEVE! THE HOLDUP ONLY HAPPENED FIFTEEN MINUTES AGO--AND MY MEN JUST GOT HERE!
I GUESS I'D BETTER EXPLAIN, LIEUTENANT...
...AND CARY NAYLOR, OUR NEW REPORTER, HAD A DREAM LAST NIGHT THAT THIS STORE WOULD BE ROBBED! SURE, IT SOUNDS LIKE A POP-EYED COINCIDENCE--BUT CARY SAYS THIS KIND OF THING HAS HAPPENED TO HIM BEFORE!
INCREDIBLE!
LET'S NOT TAKE ANY CHANCES--IF NAYLOR GETS ANY MORE DREAMS LIKE THAT, STEVE--TELEPHONE MY OFFICE AT ONCE!
RIGHT, LIEUTENANT! WE'LL BE GLAD TO COOPERATE!
THE NEXT MORNING...
...AND I DREAMED LAST NIGHT, MR. WILSON, THAT THE CROOKS WHO ROBBED THAT JEWELER'S EXCHANGE HID THEIR LOOT IN AN EMPTY LOT IN NORTH BIG TOWN!
I'LL GET GREGGORY--AND LET YOU TALK TO HIM!

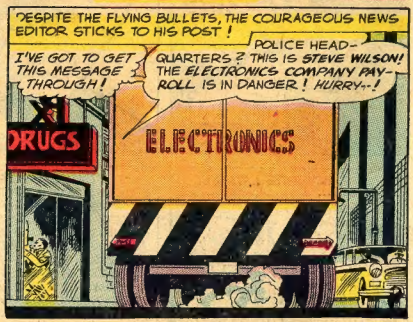
SOON AFTER IN NORTH BIG TOWN...
STOP THE CAR, LIEUTENANT GREGGORY! THAT LOOKS LIKE THE LOT IN MY DREAM!
THE PLAN CALLED FOR THE GANG PLANTING THE LOOT HERE!
POLICE
AS FRESH DUG EARTH GIVES A CLUE TO WHERE TO DIG...
HERE'S THE STUFF--IT WAS BURIED RIGHT HERE JUST LIKE NAYLOR SAID!
NAYLOR, YOU'RE TERRIFIC!
MAYBE I OUGHT TO MENTION SOMETHING ELSE, LIEUTENANT... I HAD ANOTHER SNATCH OF A DREAM LAST NIGHT THAT I COULDN'T FIGURE OUT--SOMETHING ABOUT A GIANT EAGLE...
A--GIANT EAGLE? WAIT--!
THAT COULD MEAN THAT THE TREASURY BUILDING DOWNTOWN IS IN DANGER! I'LL SHOW YOU WHY WHEN WE DRIVE THERE!
POLICE
MINUTES LATER...
YOU SAID GIANT EAGLE, NAYLOR? DID IT LOOK LIKE THIS ONE?
YES, EXACTLY LIKE THAT ONE, LIEUTENANT!
AS DOZENS OF UNIFORMED POLICEMEN ARE WHISKED TO THE LOCATION...
--AND WE'VE GOT MEN ALL AROUND THE BUILDING, COMMISSIONER! THERE'S BEEN NO SIGN OF TROUBLE YET--BUT WE'RE TAKING NO CHANCES!
GOOD! STAY ALERT, LIEUTENANT!

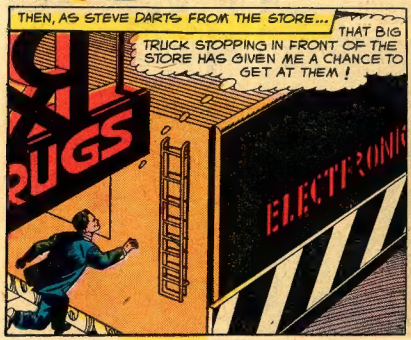
MEANWHILE, AT THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS...
CHARLEY, SINCE THE DAY CARY NAYLOR GOT HERE, ONE THING'S BEEN BOTHERING ME! YOU REMEMBER HE SAID HE'D HAD HIS FIRST WARNING DREAM THE MORNING THE BONSON GANG STRUCK?
THAT'S RIGHT, STEVE!
WELL, I CHECKED PRETTY CAREFULLY INTO NAYLOR'S RECORD BEFORE I HIRED HIM! AND THERE'S ONE FACT THAT DOESN'T FIT THE STORY--
WHAT'S THAT, STEVE?
ONLY HAVE TIME NOW TO TELL YOU WE'VE BEEN HOODWINKED--AND A BIG ROBBERY IS GOING TO TAKE PLACE--BUT NOT AT THE TREASURY BUILDING!
OUTSIDE, MOMENTS LATER...
TO THE BIG TOWN ELECTRONICS COMPANY! AND HURRY!
YES, SIR!
TAXI
AS THE CAB SPEEDS THE CRACK EDITOR UPTOWN...
WHILE NAYLOR AND LIEUTENANT GREGGORY AND HIS MEN ARE DOWN AROUND THE TREASURY BUILDING, ONE OF THE BIGGEST PAYROLLS IN TOWN IS BEING DELIVERED AT THE ELECTRONICS COMPANY RIGHT NOW! OF COURSE IT COULD BE A COINCIDENCE...
BOON... I'VE GOT TO CHECK BEFORE I NOTIFY THE POLICE AND SEND THEM ON A WILD GOOSE CHASE! COULD BE I'M ALL WRONG ABOUT NAYLOR, BUT--EH??


AS THE KEEN-EYED NEWSMAN GETS A GLIMPSE OF THE OCCUPANTS OF ONE OF THE CARS PARKED AT THE CURB...
PINKY WALKER, THE DRIVER AND "GETAWAY EXPERT" OF THE TOMLINSON GANG! LOOKS LIKE MY HUNCH WAS RIGHT!

GOT TO GET TO A PHONE-- FAST!
HEY! THAT'S STEVE WILSON, PINKY--AND HE'S SPOTTED US!!
RUGS

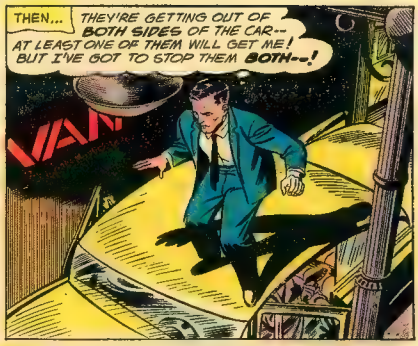
A MOMENT LATER...
GET ME THE POLICE--
WILSON WILL GIVE AWAY THE WHOLE SHOW IF WE DON'T STOP HIM!
BAM!

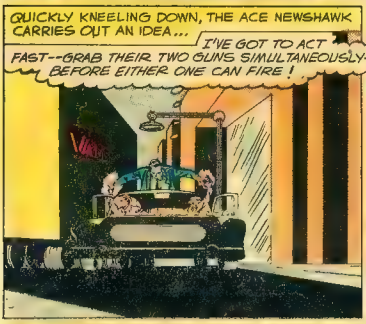

DESPITE THE FLYING BULLETS, THE COURAGEOUS NEWS EDITOR STICKS TO HIS POST!
I'VE GOT TO GET THIS MESSAGE THROUGH!
POLICE HEADQUARTERS? THIS IS STEVE WILSON! THE ELECTRONICS COMPANY PAYROLL IS IN DANGER! HURRY--!
RUGS
ELECTRONICS

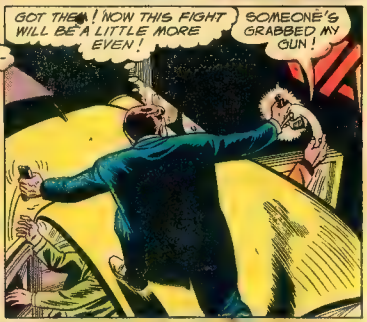

THEN, AS STEVE DARTS FROM THE STORE...
THAT BIG TRUCK STOPPING IN FRONT OF THE STORE HAS GIVEN ME A CHANCE TO GET AT THEM!
RUGS
ELECTRONI

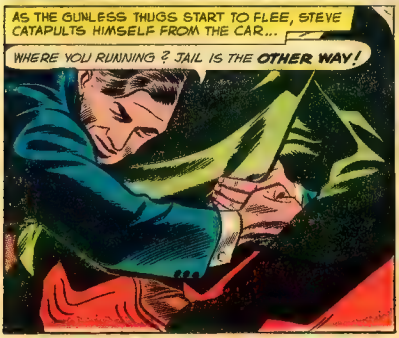
WITH RAPIDITY, THE AGILE NEWSHAWK CLIMBS TO THE TRUCK'S ROOF...
THEY'RE WAITING FOR ME TO SHOW MYSELF--BUT THEY WON'T EXPECT ME FROM THE ANGLE I'M GOING TO HIT THEM!

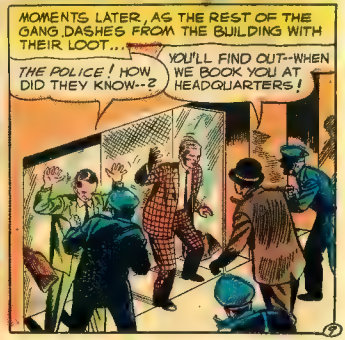
WITH JAW SET, STEVE JUMPS...
WHAT WAS THAT?


THEN...
THEY'RE GETTING OUT OF BOTH SIDES OF THE CAR--
AT LEAST ONE OF THEM WILL GET ME!
BUT I'VE GOT TO STOP THEM BOTH--!
VAN

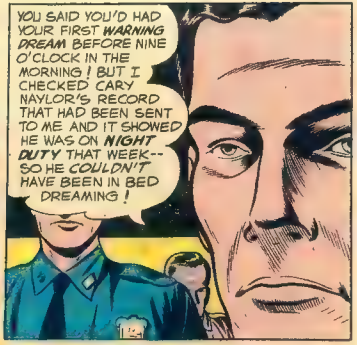

QUICKLY KNEELING DOWN, THE ACE NEWSHAWK CARRIES OUT AN IDEA...
I'VE GOT TO ACT FAST--GRAB THEIR TWO GUNS SIMULTANEOUSLY--BEFORE EITHER ONE CAN FIRE!

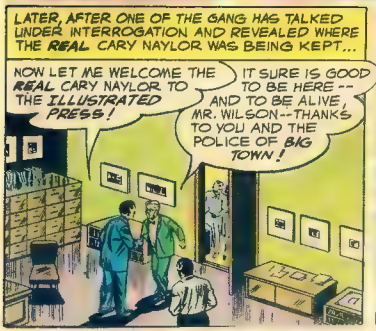

GOT THEM! NOW THIS FIGHT WILL BE A LITTLE MORE EVEN!
SOMEONE'S GRABBED MY GUN!

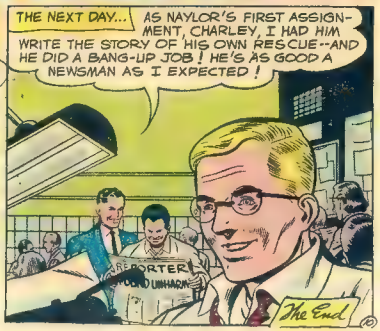

AS THE GUNLESS THUGS START TO FLEE, STEVE CATAPULTS HIMSELF FROM THE CAR...
WHERE YOU RUNNING? JAIL IS THE OTHER WAY!

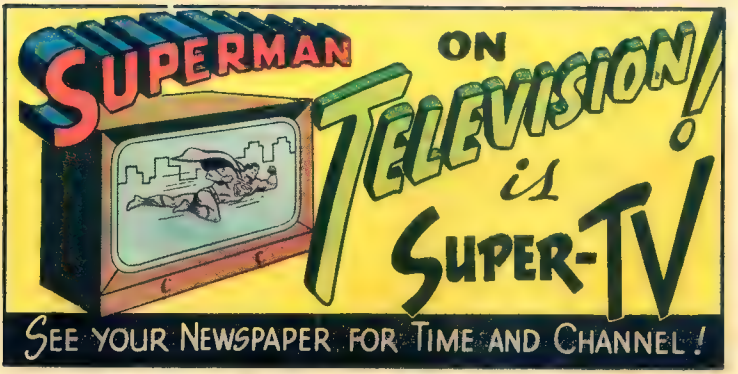

MOMENTS LATER, AS THE REST OF THE GANG DASHES FROM THE BUILDING WITH THEIR LOOT...
THE POLICE! HOW DID THEY KNOW--?
YOU'LL FIND OUT--WHEN WE BOOK YOU AT HEADQUARTERS!

AFTER THE ENTIRE GANG HAS WOUND UP BEHIND BARS...
THANKS TO YOU, STEVE, WE GOT THEM ALL--INCLUDING THE PHONEY CARY NAYLOR !
HOW DID YOU GET ON TO ME, WILSON ? WHERE DID I SLIP UP ?


YOU SAID YOU'D HAD YOUR FIRST WARNING DREAM BEFORE NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING ! BUT I CHECKED CARY NAYLOR'S RECORD THAT HAD BEEN SENT TO ME AND IT SHOWED HE WAS ON NIGHT DUTY THAT WEEK--SO HE COULDN'T HAVE BEEN IN BED DREAMING !


LATER, AFTER ONE OF THE GANG HAS TALKED UNDER INTERROGATION AND REVEALED WHERE THE REAL CARY NAYLOR WAS BEING KEPT...
NOW LET ME WELCOME THE REAL CARY NAYLOR TO THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS !
IT SURE IS GOOD TO BE HERE -- AND TO BE ALIVE, MR. WILSON--THANKS TO YOU AND THE POLICE OF BIG TOWN !


THE NEXT DAY...
AS NAYLOR'S FIRST ASSIGNMENT, CHARLEY, I HAD HIM WRITE THE STORY OF HIS OWN RESCUE--AND HE DID A BANG-UP JOB ! HE'S AS GOOD A NEWSMAN AS I EXPECTED !
REPORTER
The End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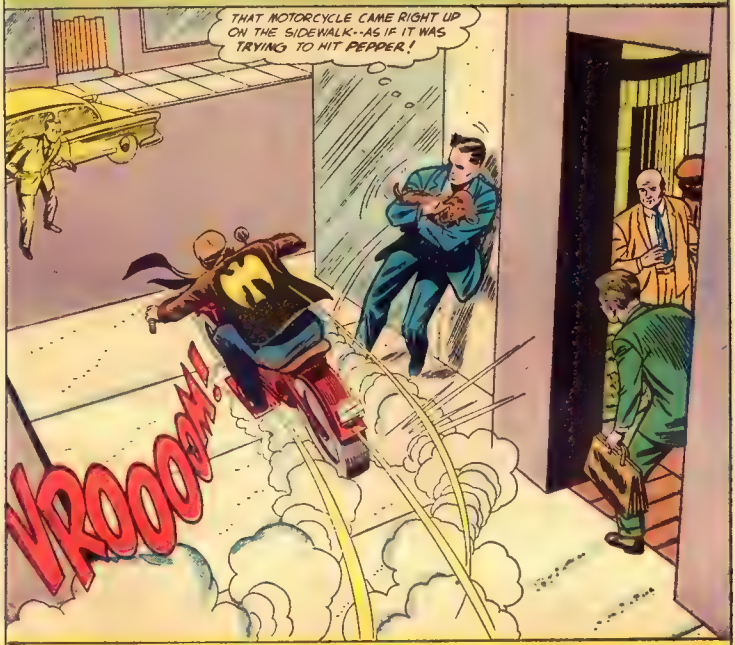
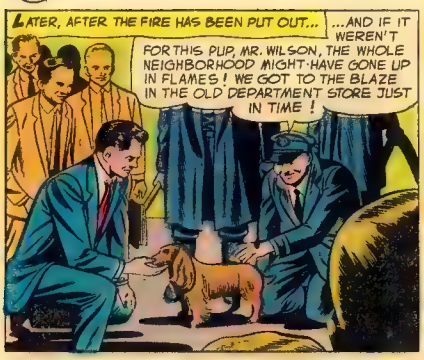


PEPPER WAS A LITTLE DOG WITHOUT A MASTER--A FOUR-FOOTED CANINE WAIF WHOM NO ONE SEEMED TO WANT, AND WHO BECAME FOR AWHILE THE MASCOT OF THE *ILLUSTRATED PRESS!* BUT THEN *EDITOR STEVE WILSON'S* FAMED *NOSE FOR NEWS* PUT HIM AND THE DOG ON THE RIGHT TRACK WHICH LED TO *PEPPER'S* VANISHED OWNER--AND A *HEADLINE STORY!*

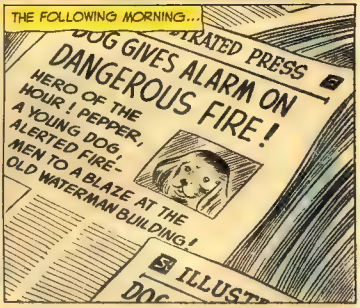
The AMAZING NEWSHOUND of the ILLUSTRATED PRESS!

ON THE WEST SIDE OF BIG TOWN EARLY ONE MORNING, A YOUNG, FLOP-EARED DOG PRANCES ALONG, SEARCHING FOR ... WHAT ?
THEN, AT THE SITE OF A FORMER DEPARTMENT STORE, DARK AND UNUSED...
SNIFF! SNIFF!
THE NEXT MOMENT, THE SLEEPING NEIGHBORHOOD IS RENT BY THE PUP'S OUTCRY...
SOME DRATTED DOG MAKING A RACKET !
WOOF! WOOF!
DOWN TO THE NEARBY FIREHOUSE CHARGES THE YELPING CANINE ...
THAT PUP ACTS AS IF HE'S TRYING TO TELL US SOMETHING, JIM !
WOOF! WOOF!
AS THE CURIOUS FIREMEN FOLLOW THE PUPPY DOWN THE STREET...
SMOKE!
SOUND THE ALARM !
SOON, AS FIRE ENGINES RESPOND TO THE ALARM ...
IT'S ALMOST UNDER CONTROL !
WOOF! WOOF! WOOF!
BIG


LATER, AFTER THE FIRE HAS BEEN PUT OUT...
...AND IF IT WEREN'T FOR THIS PUP, MR. WILSON, THE WHOLE NEIGHBORHOOD MIGHT HAVE GONE UP IN FLAMES! WE GOT TO THE BLAZE IN THE OLD DEPARTMENT STORE JUST IN TIME!

AS THE FAMOUS EDITOR OF THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS EXAMINES THE FOUR-FOOTED HERO...
WHERE DID HE COME FROM? ALL THAT'S ON HIS COLLAR IS HIS NAME--PEPPER!
NO ONE SEEMS TO KNOW TO WHOM HE BELONGS!

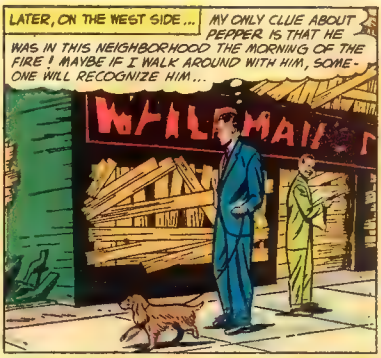
WELL, WE'LL TRY TO FIND HIS OWNER! IF NO ONE OBJECTS, I'LL TAKE PEPPER BACK TO THE OFFICE SO THAT WE CAN TAKE SOME PICTURES OF HIM--FOR THE FRONT PAGE!
SURE, MR. WILSON! HE'S TAKING A LIKING TO YOU ALREADY!

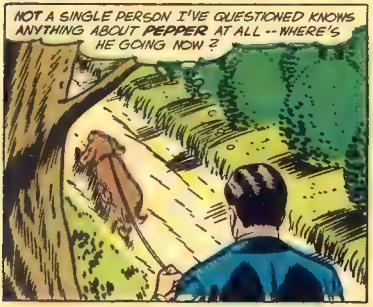

THE FOLLOWING MORNING...
DOG GIVES ALARM ON DANGEROUS FIRE!
HERO OF THE HOUR! PEPPER, A YOUNG DOG, ALERTED FIREMEN TO A BLAZE AT THE OLD WATERMAN BUILDING!

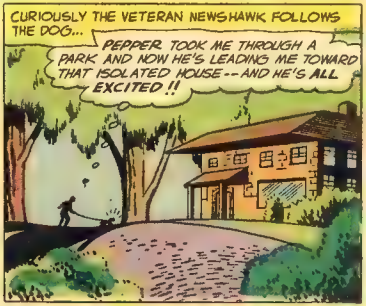
SOME DAYS LATER, IN STEVE WILSON'S OFFICE...
CHARLEY, IT'S STRANGE THAT AFTER ALL THE PUBLICITY PEPPER'S GOTTEN IN THE LAST FEW DAYS--NO ONE'S COME FORWARD TO CLAIM HIM! SOMEONE PUT THAT NAME TAG ON HIM!

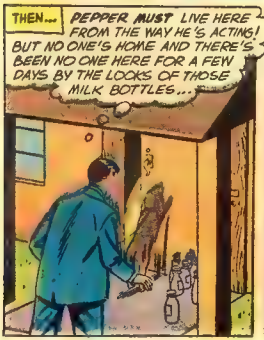
THE MORE I THINK ABOUT IT, THE MORE CURIOUS I BECOME! WHERE IS HIS OWNER--WHO IS HIS OWNER?

AS STEVE'S KEEN NEWSMAN'S INSTINCT COMES TO THE FORE...
THERE COULD BE A STORY IN IT! ANYWAY, I'M GOING TO SEE IF PEPPER AND I CAN LOCATE HIS LOST OWNER!
SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD IDEA, STEVE!

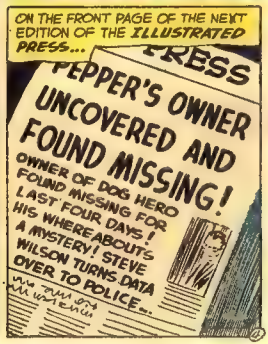

LATER, ON THE WEST SIDE...
MY ONLY CLUE ABOUT PEPPER IS THAT HE WAS IN THIS NEIGHBORHOOD THE MORNING OF THE FIRE! MAYBE IF I WALK AROUND WITH HIM, SOMEONE WILL RECOGNIZE HIM...

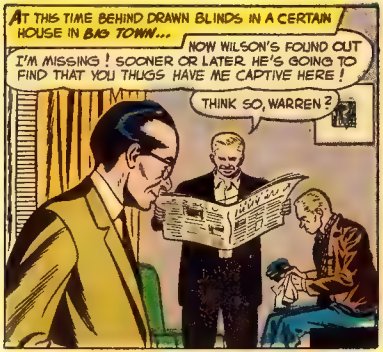

NOT A SINGLE PERSON I'VE QUESTIONED KNOWS ANYTHING ABOUT PEPPER AT ALL -- WHERE'S HE GOING NOW?


CURIOUSLY THE VETERAN NEWSHAWK FOLLOWS THE DOG...
PEPPER TOOK ME THROUGH A PARK AND NOW HE'S LEADING ME TOWARD THAT ISOLATED HOUSE -- AND HE'S ALL EXCITED!!

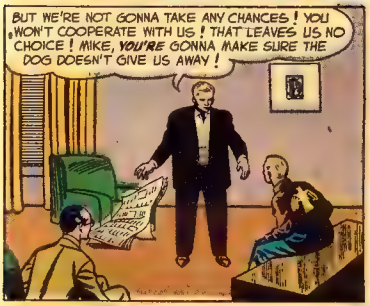

THEN... PEPPER MUST LIVE HERE FROM THE WAY HE'S ACTING! BUT NO ONE'S HOME AND THERE'S BEEN NO ONE HERE FOR A FEW DAYS BY THE LOOKS OF THOSE MILK BOTTLES...

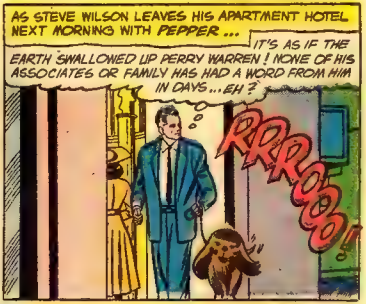
PERRY WARREN -- WHY, THAT COULD BE PERRY WARREN, THE WELL-KNOWN LAWYER! NOW MAYBE WE'RE GETTING WARM!

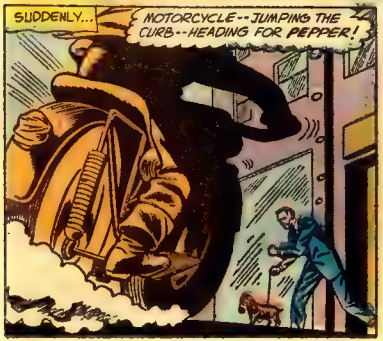

ON THE FRONT PAGE OF THE NEXT EDITION OF THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS...
PRESS
PEPPER'S OWNER UNCOVERED AND FOUND MISSING!
OWNER OF DOG HERO FOUND MISSING FOR LAST FOUR DAYS! HIS WHEREABOUTS A MYSTERY! STEVE WILSON TURNS DATA OVER TO POLICE...

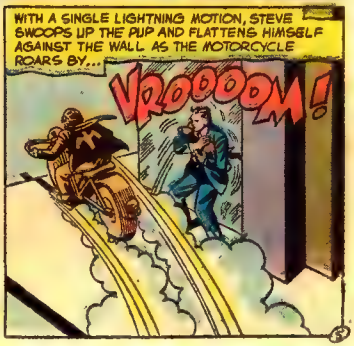

AT THIS TIME BEHIND DRAWN BLINDS IN A CERTAIN HOUSE IN BIG TOWN...
NOW WILSON'S FOUND OUT I'M MISSING! SOONER OR LATER HE'S GOING TO FIND THAT YOU THUGS HAVE ME CAPTIVE HERE!
THINK SO, WARREN?

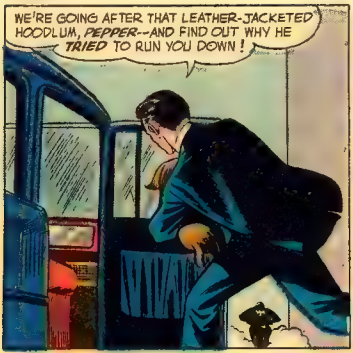
THE ONLY WAY WILSON MIGHT FIND HIS WAY HERE IS BY THAT DOG OF YOURS--PEPPER! WE GRABBED YOU AN' BROUGHT YOU HERE BY CAR! MAYBE PEPPER COULD TRAIL YOU HERE, I DUNNO...

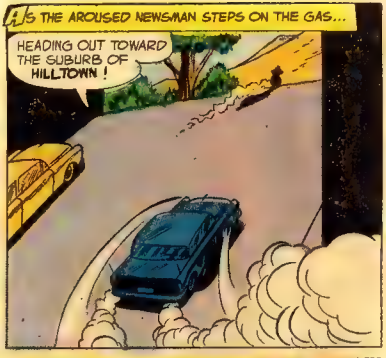

BUT WE'RE NOT GONNA TAKE ANY CHANCES! YOU WON'T COOPERATE WITH US! THAT LEAVES US NO CHOICE! MIKE, YOU'RE GONNA MAKE SURE THE DOG DOESN'T GIVE US AWAY!

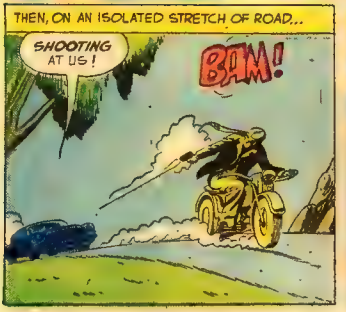

AS STEVE WILSON LEAVES HIS APARTMENT HOTEL NEXT MORNING WITH PEPPER...
IT'S AS IF THE EARTH SWALLOWED UP PERRY WARREN! NONE OF HIS ASSOCIATES OR FAMILY HAS HAD A WORD FROM HIM IN DAYS...EH?
RRROOO!

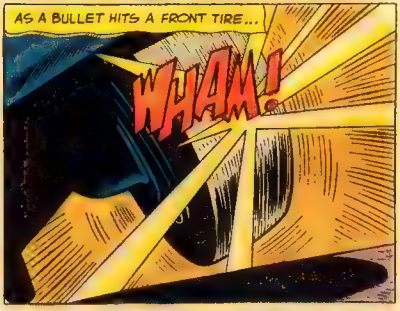

SUDDENLY...
MOTORCYCLE--JUMPING THE CURB--HEADING FOR PEPPER!

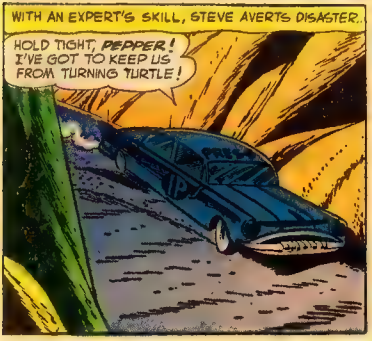

WITH A SINGLE LIGHTNING MOTION, STEVE SWOOPS UP THE PUP AND FLATTENS HIMSELF AGAINST THE WALL AS THE MOTORCYCLE ROARS BY...
VROOOOOM!

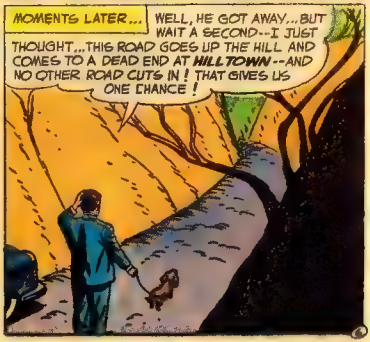

WE'RE GOING AFTER THAT LEATHER-JACKETED HOODLUM, PEPPER--AND FIND OUT WHY HE TRIED TO RUN YOU DOWN!


AS THE AROUSED NEWSMAN STEPS ON THE GAS...
HEADING OUT TOWARD THE SUBURB OF HILLTOWN!

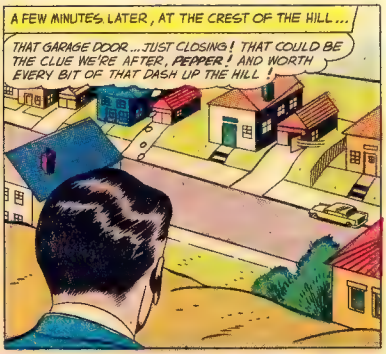

THEN, ON AN ISOLATED STRETCH OF ROAD...
SHOOTING AT US!
BAM!

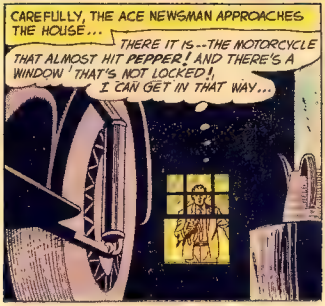

AS A BULLET HITS A FRONT TIRE...
WHAM!

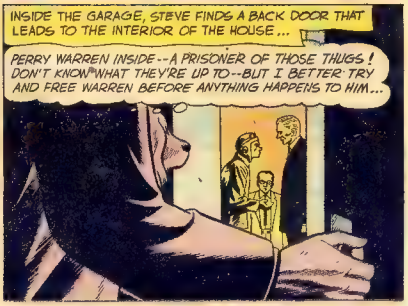

WITH AN EXPERT'S SKILL, STEVE AVERTS DISASTER..
HOLD TIGHT, PEPPER! I'VE GOT TO KEEP US FROM TURNING TURTLE!

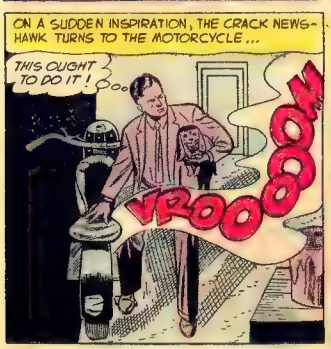

MOMENTS LATER...
WELL, HE GOT AWAY...BUT WAIT A SECOND--I JUST THOUGHT...THIS ROAD GOES UP THE HILL AND COMES TO A DEAD END AT HILLTOWN--AND NO OTHER ROAD CUTS IN! THAT GIVES US ONE CHANCE!

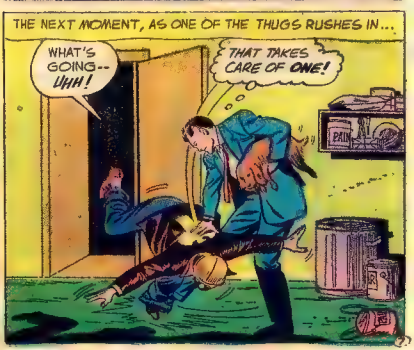
SEIZING PEPPER UNDER HIS ARM, STEVE STARTS HILL-CLIMBING ...
GOING UP THE HILL THIS WAY IS A SHORT CUT! IF I HURRY, I MIGHT GET UP TO HILLTOWN BEFORE THE MYSTERIOUS MOTORCYCLIST CAN DISAPPEAR!


A FEW MINUTES LATER, AT THE CREST OF THE HILL...
THAT GARAGE DOOR...JUST CLOSING! THAT COULD BE THE CLUE WE'RE AFTER, PEPPER! AND WORTH EVERY BIT OF THAT DASH UP THE HILL!


CAREFULLY, THE ACE NEWSMAN APPROACHES THE HOUSE...
THERE IT IS--THE MOTORCYCLE THAT ALMOST HIT PEPPER! AND THERE'S A WINDOW! THAT'S NOT LOCKED! I CAN GET IN THAT WAY...


INSIDE THE GARAGE, STEVE FINDS A BACK DOOR THAT LEADS TO THE INTERIOR OF THE HOUSE...
PERRY WARREN INSIDE--A PRISONER OF THOUSE THUGS! DON'T KNOW WHAT THEY'RE UP TO--BUT I BETTER TRY AND FREE WARREN BEFORE ANYTHING HAPPENS TO HIM...


ON A SUDDEN INSPIRATION, THE CRACK NEWSHAWK TURNS TO THE MOTORCYCLE...
THIS OUGHT TO DO IT!
VROOOOOM


THE NEXT MOMENT, AS ONE OF THE THUGS RUSHES IN...
WHAT'S GOING--UHH!
THAT TAKES CARE OF ONE!

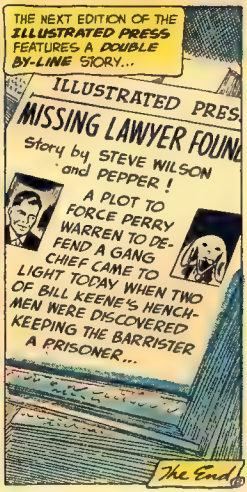
STEVE WILSON!
HE'S GOT A GUN!
KRROOOOOM!

QUICK AS A WINK, STEVE'S RIGHT ARM SNAPS FORWARD...
THAT'S TWO!

AFTER THE POLICE HAVE TAKEN THE TWO THUGS INTO CUSTODY...
--AND THE CROOKS WANTED MR. WARREN TO DEFEND THEIR GANG CHIEF, BILL KEENE, WHO IS BEING HELD WITHOUT BAIL WHILE AWAITING TRIAL! KEENE KNEW THAT HE HAD A CHANCE FOR ACQUITAL ONLY IF HE WERE DEFENDED BY WARREN'S BRILLIANT LEGAL MIND!

--BUT KEENE ALSO KNEW THAT WARREN NEVER TOOK HARDENED CRIMINALS LIKE HIM AS CLIENTS! SO HE HAD HIS MEN SEIZE WARREN AND THREATEN HIM! HE FIGURED THAT WOULD DO THE TRICK--BUT HE WAS WRONG! WARREN WAS DETERMINED HE'D DIE RATHER THAN LOOSE A MAN LIKE KEENE ON SOCIETY!

THEN WHEN PEPPER NOTICED THAT FIRE--HE WAS LOOKING FOR HIS MASTER!, THAT RIGHT, STEVE?
ON THE BUTTON, LIEUTENANT GREGGORY! IN FACT, IT'S PEPPER WE HAVE TO THANK FOR SEWING UP THIS ENTIRE CASE! HE'S A REAL NEWSHOUND!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MISSING LAWYER FOUND
Story by STEVE WILSON and PEPPER!
A PLOT TO FORCE PERRY WARREN TO DEFEND A GANG CHIEF CAME TO LIGHT TODAY WHEN TWO OF BILL KEENE'S HENCHMEN WERE DISCOVERED KEEPING THE BARRISTER A PRISONER...
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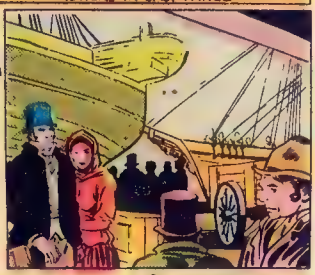
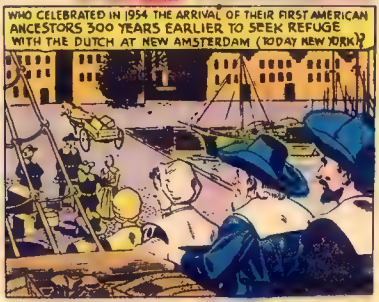
Do You Know The People of Your Country?

ANSWERS IN LAST PANEL

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WHO WERE BROUGHT TO AMERICA, BEGINNING IN 1619, TO WORK ON THE PLANTATIONS IN THE SOUTH, AND TODAY ARE ONE OF THE LARGEST GROUPS IN OUR POPULATION ?

The ANSWERS... READ UPSIDE DOWN

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4. THE JEWS
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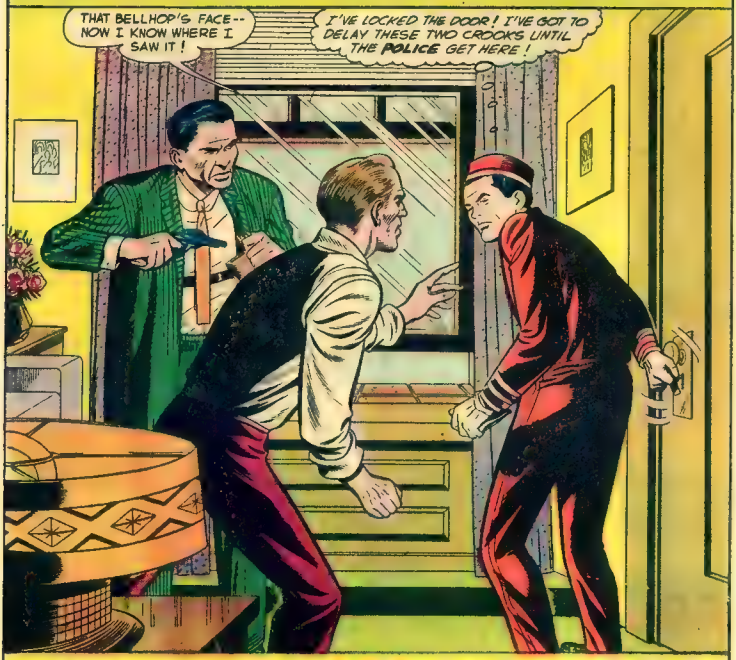
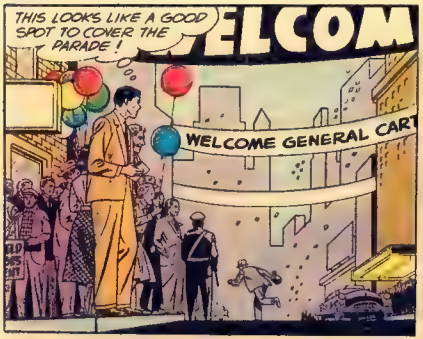


FOUR YEARS IN THE ARMY--FOLLOWED BY FIVE LONG, GRUELING YEARS IN PRISON CAMP--DID NOT EXACTLY FIT FRANK HOLMES FOR A RETURN TO HIS OLD JOB OF REPORTER ON BIG TOWN'S ILLUSTRATED PRESS! BUT CANNY EDITOR STEVE WILSON KNEW THE EX-SOLDIER'S TRUE WORTH, AND TOOK A CALCULATED CHANCE--THAT PAID OFF, IN...

The MARK of a REPORTER!

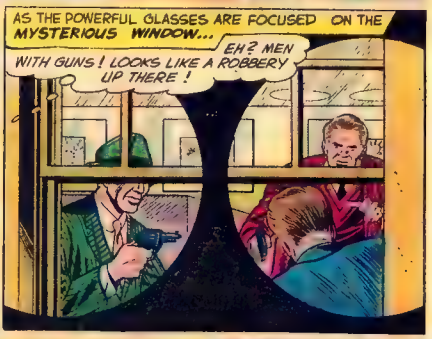
IN A GRIM BATTLE, A YOUNG SOLDIER STRUGGLES.
GOT TO KEEP HOLD OF THIS RIFLE! CAN'T LET HIM TURN THE BAYONET TOWARD ME!
THE BAYONET MOVES CLOSER ... CLOSER...
BUT SUDDENLY...
WH... WHERE AM I?
BOLT UPRIGHT IN BED, FRANK HOLMES SLOWLY RECOVERS FROM THE NIGHTMARE ..
IT WAS JUST A DREAM! I'M NOT IN THE ARMY ANYMORE... OR IN THAT AWFUL PRISON CAMP WHERE I SPENT ALL THOSE YEARS! I'M HOME--IN BIG TOWN!
I'VE GOT TO GET READY! THIS IS MY FIRST DAY BACK AT MY OLD JOB--REPORTER ON THE GRAND OLD ILLUSTRATED PRESS! AND GOSH--I'M AS NERVOUS AS A CUB!
SOON AFTER, IN THE EDITORIAL OFFICE OF BIG TOWN'S FOREMOST NEWSPAPER..
BUT CAN FRANK HOLMES HANDLE A REPORTER'S JOB NOW, STEVE? DON'T FORGET, HE'S BEEN AWAY A LONG TIME!
I KNOW, CHARLEY! FOUR YEARS IN THE ARMY--PLUS FIVE YEARS IN THAT PRISON CAMP!
YEARS LIKE THAT CAN'T HELP CHANGING A MAN! BUT WE'VE GOT TO GIVE FRANK EVERY CHANCE--IT'S THE LEAST WE CAN DO!
HERE HE COMES NOW!

AFTER GREETINGS ARE EXCHANGED...
YOUR FIRST ASSIGNMENT OUGHT TO BE RIGHT UP YOUR ALLEY, FRANK! GENERAL CARTER HAS JUST RETIRED FROM THE ARMY AND IS RETURNING FROM HIS POST IN EUROPE! HE'S BEING GIVEN A HERO'S WELCOME!
THERE'LL BE A TICKER TAPE PARADE DOWN MAIN STREET! I WANT YOU TO COVER IT!
BUT, MR. WILSON--CAN'T YOU GIVE ME MORE EXACT ORDERS?
I MEAN... IT FEELS STRANGE NOT KNOWING PRECISELY WHAT I'M SUPPOSED TO DO!
FRANK, YOU'RE A REPORTER NOW! YOU HAVE TO ACT ON YOUR OWN! JUST DO YOUR BEST...
OUT ON THE STREET, SHORTLY AFTERWARD...
ACT ON MY OWN!
SOUNDS EASY... BUT FOR THE LAST FEW YEARS I WAS TOLD WHEN TO SLEEP, WHEN TO GET UP, MY WHOLE DAY WAS REGIMENTED...
HOTEL
TWEEET!
HONK! BEEP!
NOW SUDDENLY I'M ON MY OWN! IT ISN'T EASY... WHAT IF I'VE FORGOTTEN HOW TO THINK FOR MYSELF? WHAT IF I CAN'T BE A REPORTER ANY MORE?
AS THE CITY IN WHICH HE WAS BROUGHT UP SEEMS TO CONVERGE STRANGELY ON THE YOUNG MAN...
AND THE NOISE HERE IN BIG TOWN! SO DIFFERENT FROM THE QUIET OF THAT PRISON CAMP... CAN I GET USED TO IT AGAIN? CAN I?
HONK! HONK! HONK!
SCREECH!
HOTEL
PWEEEE!


THIS LOOKS LIKE A GOOD SPOT TO COVER THE PARADE !
WELCOM
WELCOME GENERAL CART

THEN AS THE YOUNG NEWSMAN SURVEYS THE BUILDINGS NEAR HIM...
EVERY WINDOW IS OCCUPIED BY OFFICE WORKERS WAITING FOR GENERAL CARTER--EXCEPT ONE ! AND I CAN SEE MOVEMENT BEHIND THAT WINDOW...
WELCOME HOME

ON IMPULSE, FRANK MAKES A DECISION...
FIELD GLASSES FOR RENT ! SEE THE PARADE CLOSE UP--!
HERE YOU ARE, MISTER ! I'LL TAKE A PAIR !


AS THE POWERFUL GLASSES ARE FOCUSED ON THE MYSTERIOUS WINDOW...
EH ? MEN WITH GUNS ! LOOKS LIKE A ROBBERY UP THERE !

THANKS, MISTER--YOU CAN HAVE THESE BACK NOW ! I'VE GOT SOMETHING TO DO--IN A HURRY !
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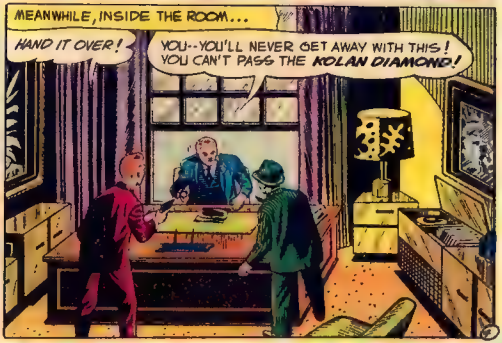
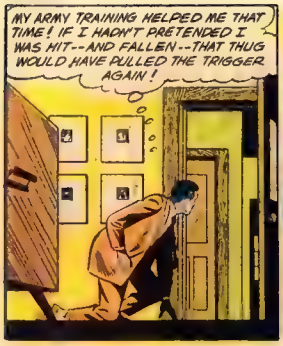
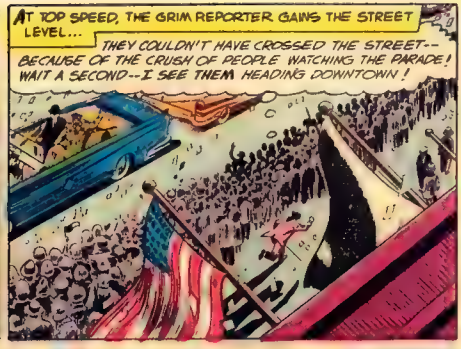
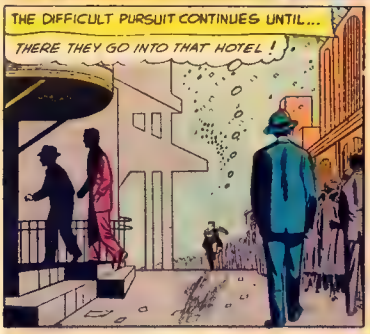

MEANWHILE, INSIDE THE ROOM...
HAND IT OVER !
YOU--YOU'LL NEVER GET AWAY WITH THIS ! YOU CAN'T PASS THE KOLAN DIAMOND !

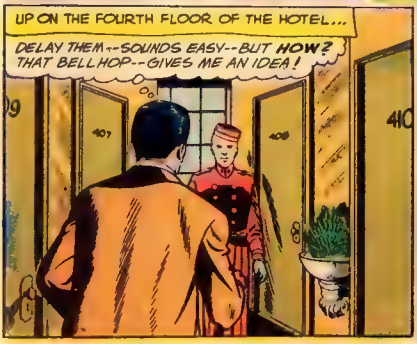
SURE, IT'S WORTH A MILLION--BUT YOU COULDN'T GET A CENT FOR IT! IT WILL BE RECOGNIZED--!
DO YOU THINK WE HAVEN'T THOUGHT OF THAT, WINTERS?
WE HAVE NO INTENTIONS OF SELLING IT AS IT IS! WE'LL BREAK IT UP--INTO TWENTY-FIVE SMALLER DIAMONDS! IT'LL STILL BE WORTH A FORTUNE!
H. WINTERS DIAMOND EXCHANGE
UNDER GUN MUZZLE, THE MERCHANT IS FORCED INTO A SMALL ANTE-ROOM...
LOCK THE DOOR, CUTTER--AND THEN WE'LL BREEZE OUTA HERE!
WITH EVERYBODY WATCHING THE PARADE, NO ONE WILL NOTICE US!
BUT AS THE TWO START TO EXIT...
GET OUTA THE WAY, MISTER! OR ELSE--!
THE GUNMEN--!
GALVANIZED INTO MOTION, FRANK'S RIGHT FIST SHOOTS OUT...
NOW I'M ON OLD FAMILIAR WAR GROUND--BATTLING AN ARMED FOE!
H. WINTE
DIAMON
EXCHANG
AS THE SECOND GUNMAN FIRES...
GOT HIM!
BAM!
LET'S GO!
FIRE EXIT

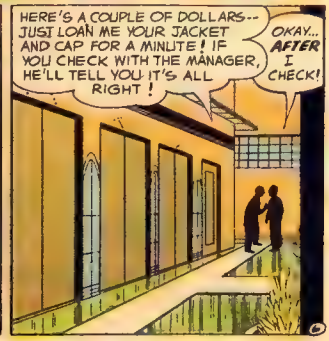

MY ARMY TRAINING HELPED ME THAT TIME! IF I HADN'T PRETENDED I WAS HIT--AND FALLEN--THAT THUG WOULD HAVE PULLED THE TRIGGER AGAIN!


AT TOP SPEED, THE GRIM REPORTER GAINS THE STREET LEVEL...
THEY COULDN'T HAVE CROSSED THE STREET--BECAUSE OF THE CRUSH OF PEOPLE WATCHING THE PARADE! WAIT A SECOND--I SEE THEM HEADING DOWNTOWN!

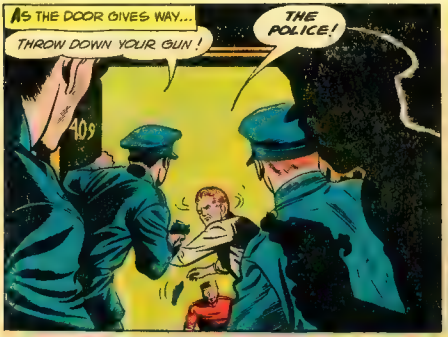

THE DIFFICULT PURSUIT CONTINUES UNTIL...
THERE THEY GO INTO THAT HOTEL!

MOMENTS LATER, IN THE LOBBY...
...AND THEY'RE REGISTERED IN ROOM 409!
GET THE POLICE! MEANWHILE, I'LL TRY TO DELAY THOSE TWO!

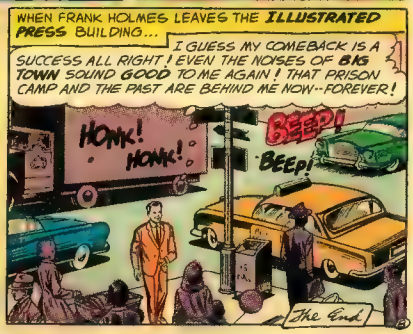

UP ON THE FOURTH FLOOR OF THE HOTEL...
DELAY THEM--SOUNDS EASY--BUT HOW? THAT BELLHOP--GIVES ME AN IDEA!
409
410


HERE'S A COUPLE OF DOLLARS--JUST LOAN ME YOUR JACKET AND CAP FOR A MINUTE! IF YOU CHECK WITH THE MANAGER, HE'LL TELL YOU IT'S ALL RIGHT!
OKAY... AFTER I CHECK!

A COUPLE OF MINUTES LATER...
TELEGRAM--FOR US? BUT NO ONE KNOWS--
SIGN HERE PLEASE...
AS THE PUZZLED GUNMAN COMPLIES, FRANK'S HAND STEALS BEHIND HIM TO THE DOOR, AND...
OKAY! NOW BEAT IT!
LOCKED IT!
A MOMENT AFTERWARD...
ER--I CAN'T GET THE DOOR OPEN!
WHERE'S THE KEY? IT WAS THERE A SECOND AGO!
WAIT--!
LOOK AT THIS BELL-HOP'S FACE! AM I CRAZY--OR IS THIS THE GUY I PLUGGED BACK THERE--?
YOU'RE RIGHT, CUTTER! IT'S HIM!
BUT AS THE GUNMAN MAKES HIS MOVE, FRANK STRIKES FIRST...
AS THE NEWSHAWK CONFRONTS THE SECOND THUG...
YOU WON'T BE WALKIN' AROUND AFTER THIS SHOT!
BUT BEFORE THE GUNMAN CAN PULL THE TRIGGER...
WH--?!
SPLASH



LATER, AFTER FRANK HAS BROUGHT IN A PAGE ONE STORY ABOUT THE CAPTURED DIAMOND THIEVES...
FRANK, THIS STORY IS GREAT! YOU'VE PROVED THAT YOU'RE JUST AS GOOD A REPORTER AS YOU EVER WERE--IN SPITE OF THE MANY YEARS SINCE YOU'VE GONE OUT ON AN ASSIGNMENT!


WHEN FRANK HOLMES LEAVES THE ILLUSTRATED PRESS BUILDING...
I GUESS MY COMEBACK IS A SUCCESS ALL RIGHT! EVEN THE NOISES OF BIG TOWN SOUND GOOD TO ME AGAIN! THAT PRISON CAMP AND THE PAST ARE BEHIND ME NOW--FOREVER!
HONK! HONK!
BEEP!
BEEP!
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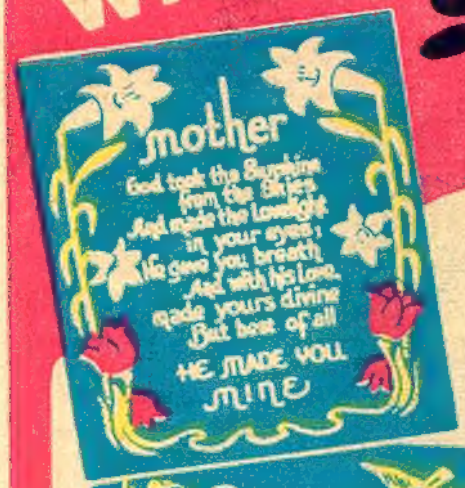

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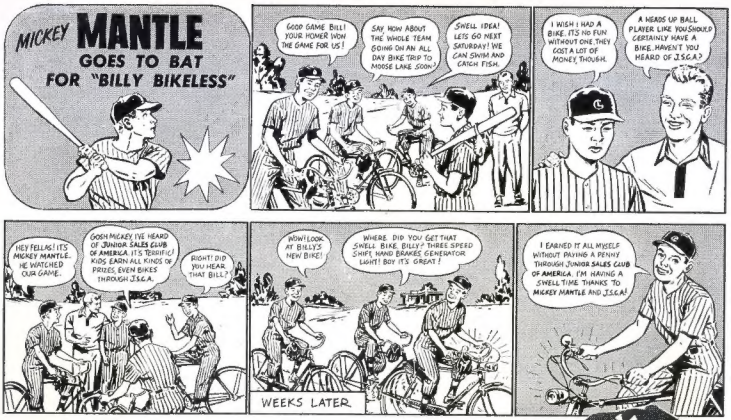
MICKEY MANTLE GOES TO BAT FOR "BILLY BIKELESS"
GOOD GAME BILL! YOUR HOMER WON THE GAME FOR US!
SAY HOW ABOUT THE WHOLE TEAM GOING ON AN ALL DAY BIKE TRIP TO MOOSE LAKE SOON?
SWELL IDEA! LETS GO NEXT SATURDAY! WE CAN SWIM AND CATCH FISH.
I WISH I HAD A BIKE. IT'S NO FUN WITHOUT ONE. THEY COST A LOT OF MONEY, THOUGH.
A HEADS UP BALL PLAYER LIKE YOU SHOULD CERTAINLY HAVE A BIKE. HAVEN'T YOU HEARD OF J.S.C.A.?
HEY FELLAS! IT'S MICKEY MANTLE.. HE WATCHED OUR GAME.
GOSH MICKEY, I'VE HEARD OF JUNIOR SALES CLUB OF AMERICA. IT'S TERRIFIC! KIDS EARN ALL KINDS OF PRIZES, EVEN BIKES THROUGH J.S.C.A.
RIGHT! DID YOU HEAR, THAT BILL?
WOW! LOOK AT BILLY'S NEW BIKE!
WHERE DID YOU GET THAT SWELL BIKE, BILLY? THREE SPEED SHIFT, HAND BRAKES, GENERATOR LIGHT! BOY IT'S GREAT!
WEEKS LATER
I EARNED IT ALL MYSELF WITHOUT PAYING A PENNY THROUGH JUNIOR SALES CLUB OF AMERICA. I'M HAVING A SWELL TIME THANKS TO MICKEY MANTLE AND J.S.C.A.!

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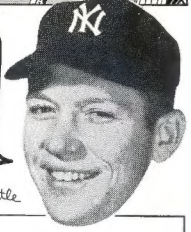

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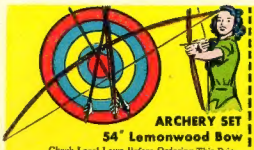

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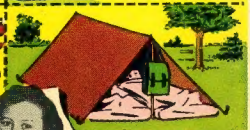

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